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## White's Position.

**Speculation as to Whether He Can Keep Boers Out of Ladysmith.**

**The Feeling in Germany is Not Altogether Against Great Britain.**

**American Women Raising Funds to Equip the Hospital Ship "Maine."**

By Associated Press.

London, Nov. 4.—Though the events of the week have tried the spirit of the British nation, there seems to be ahead a still more crucial ordeal, that of suspense. Days, perhaps weeks, may pass before word comes from the isolated Neck of Natal, and the long wait will strain as does a death watch, for the eagerness to hear how the day went with the beleaguered will be mingled with the overpowering dread that they have shared the fate of those at Nicholson's Nek. Whatever may be the justness or otherwise of the criticisms passed on Gen. White, it is palpable that he no longer possesses the confidence of the public. He may be fully able to withstand attacks of superior forces, and may be ready at any moment to execute a masterly retreat, but as long as he is cut off from communication with the outside world, there will exist terrible anxiety regarding the welfare of seven or eight thousand men. The most optimistic believe a fortnight is the minimum in which a force of any potentiality can be pushed to Ladysmith, and then it may be too late. It is this interim, embittered by vivid memory of recent disaster, which will try the temper of the British nation.

As a matter of fact, granting that Gen. White possesses the qualities of fair generalship, there are many reasons to believe he will be able to hold out till reinforced, even if completely surrounded. It is presumed that he has employed the past weeks in strengthening his position with earthworks and trenches, which, when manned by such fighters as the Gordons and Irish regiments, cannot be taken without a struggle. His artillery has been reinforced by the Naval Brigade, and if it is not a match for the Boers, should be able to keep the enemy from coming into too close quarters. He has abundance of stores and apparently has been favored by good weather, and combining these advantages with the military truism that the opportunity to select your own position is half the battle won, it is said that there seems Gen. White has fairly even chances of holding his own, in spite of the report that he is outnumbered by two or three to one.

**FEELING IN GERMANY.**  
Most of the Papers Comment Fairly on the Events in Africa.

Berlin, Nov. 4.—The news of the British reverses and losses in South Africa has been received in Germany with less demonstrations of joy than might have been expected from previous expressions. The mistakes and short-comings of the British preparations are pointed to with much vigor by the press strategists and military writers, but other newspapers comment on the week's events fairly.

The Frankfort Zeitung editorially says: "England, if successful, will have to thank Germany's neutrality for it, as it was the only thing which prevented Russia and France from interfering. An understanding between Germany and England is possible on a number of questions, but no alliance. It was profitable to England only so far as our friendly relations with Russia are not disturbed thereby."

The Deutsche Zeitung, commenting upon the Emperor's telegram to the British Dragon Regiment of which he is honorary colonel, and the Samoan negotiations, says: "We stand in the presence of a total political collapse of the German Empire."

The Tages Zeitung and other German papers suggest an illumination in honor of the Boer successes.

The Staats Burger Zeitung declares the Emperor is directly opposing the aims and connections of the great majority of German people.

**HAVANA CONTINGENT.**  
Company Being Raised in Cuba to Be Offered to Great Britain.

Havana, Nov. 4.—A regiment is in process of formation here, the services of which, when organization is completed, will be offered to Great Britain against the Boers. About 250 Americans are already enrolled on its lists, and many more are expected to join. A former officer of the Chilian army is receiving applications for membership and subscriptions for the armament of the regiment.

**HOSPITAL SHIP.**  
Raising Funds to Fit Out the Maine—Attracting Wide Attention.

London, Nov. 4.—The American women who are equipping the hospital ship Maine are making particular efforts to have it understood that the movement is entirely devoid of politics and will treat Briton and Boer alike. The vessel is attracting widespread attention in England. In accordance with the wishes of the Prince of Wales, Mrs. Brown-Potter has selected November 10 as the date for the Cafe Chantant benefit for the Maine. Through the efforts of Sir Arthur Sullivan, Clarendon Hotel has been (Continued on Second Page.)

**THE PRAIRIE PROVINCE.**

Further Evidence in the Molsons Bank Robbery Case.

Winnipeg, Nov. 4.—(Special)—In the Anderson robbery case to-day Mr. J. W. Harris, city surveyor, swore that he found \$2,000 of the missing Molsons Bank money on August 29 near a tree to which Davis swore Anderson, in his alleged confession, said he had tied his horse. The money was produced in court. This \$2,000 has been missing until to-day.

Sir Charles Tupper is visiting his friends here, spending a few quiet days prior to addressing a number of public meetings in the West. Sir Charles has arranged to address meetings as follows: Winnipeg, November 7; Minnedosa, November 9; Portage la Prairie, November 10; Regina, November 11; Indian Head, November 15; Selkirk, November 17; Brandon, November 21; Moosomin, November 23. Sir Charles will also speak at Calgary, but the date has not yet been fixed.

Lady Tupper and Mrs. J. Stewart Tupper, who were injured in a runaway accident Wednesday continue to improve although suffering considerable pain.

**SLOT MACHINES PROHIBITED.**

**Vancouver Following the Example Set by the Victoria Police.**

From Our Own Correspondent.

Vancouver, Nov. 4.—To-day Detective Harris notified all saloons and cigar stores where nickel machines are kept that they must be removed at once. The majority of those notified consented to remove them, but several did not consent to do so. A list was taken and the city will attempt to follow Victoria's lead and abolish the slot machine altogether.

On the news being received that Canada had offered another thousand troops for the Transvaal, several ex-volunteers of Eastern regiments stated that they would enlist in the Sixth at once to be eligible for the next draft, one eager young newspaper man telephoning to Col. Worsnop to that effect three minutes after the news reached the newspaper office. From indications, when the volunteers are next called upon there will be twice as many offer themselves as last time.

Miss Annie Stewart, daughter of Chief of Police Stewart, died suddenly of heart disease yesterday.

To-morrow, November 5, local Orangemen in New Westminster will hold a church parade.

**NEW GERMAN NAVY.**

Emperor William's Latest Plan Would Double the Fleet.

Berlin, Nov. 4.—The Emperor's naval projects have formed the main subject of press discussion this week. The government now admits that the Flotten plan really means doubling the navy as compared with what it would be under the plan of 1897, and that 20,000 additional men will be needed for the new fleet. Nearly the whole press expresses astonishment at the fact that His Majesty personally conceived and pushed the plan, while Prince Hohenzollern's consent was only obtained later, and that the Bismarck and Prussian cabinet have not been consulted. However, the chances of a bill embodying the plan, which the correspondent learns will reach the reichstag before the end of the year, are increasing. All sorts of popular manifestations in favor of the bill are being arranged, in order to influence opinion.

**BAGGAGE RECOVERED.**

Passengers of Scotsman Not as Badly Off as at First Stated.

Montreal, Nov. 4.—(Special)—The agents of the ill-fated steamer Scotsman have received word that the passengers' baggage has arrived at Newfoundland. The delay in its arrival was due to an alleged exorbitant claim made for salvage by the owner of the schooner which took the baggage off. The baggage was with the rest possible delay.

A cablegram has been received by relatives in Montreal that Lady Middleton, widow of the late Lieut.-Gen. Sir Frederick Middleton, died suddenly at Hampton Court yesterday. Lady Middleton was a daughter of the late T. Doucett, notary, Montreal.

The city council will on Monday next pass a new by-law requiring every house occupied by three or more families and every hotel and boarding house to be supplied, under a heavy penalty, with efficient fire escapes.

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## Big Guns In Action.

**Artillery Duel in Progress at Ladysmith All Day Thursday.**

**Naval Brigade Fire Three Shots to Every One by the Enemy.**

**Some of British Hit by the Boers—Enemy Occupy Minor Stations.**

By Associated Press.

London, Nov. 5.—A special despatch from Ladysmith dated Nov. 2, morning, says: "During the night the Boers moved close to the British positions and mounted guns in fresh places. Meanwhile the naval guns have been moved to more favorable positions near the town and commanding some of the Boer batteries. At 6 this morning Gen. White ordered the bombardment of the enemy and the bluejackets opened the battle. The Boers replied vigorously. They fired straight and some of the British were hit. A terrible artillery duel has been proceeding for over three hours. So far the naval guns are the only ones that have engaged the enemy."

Ladysmith, Nov. 2.—(10 a.m. (delayed))—An artillery duel has been in progress since 6 this morning, but so far no damage has been done. The British fire preventing the Boer guns from making good practice. Firing has been heard in the direction of Colenso.

Four naval long range guns have been mounted here.

London, Nov. 4.—The war office issued the following announcement: "No news has been received from Ladysmith up to 2 o'clock this afternoon. We therefore presume the wires are still interrupted."

**COLESBURG OCCUPIED.**

London, Nov. 5.—A special despatch from Capetown dated November 2 says the Boers occupied Coleburg, Cape Colony, on Wednesday, meeting with no resistance from the local police, who yielded to superior force.

Another special despatch dated November 2 says the artillery duel is proceeding splendidly. The British guns are firing three shots to the Boers' one.

**MINES WORKING.**

Capetown, Nov. 2.—(Delayed)—A despatch from Bulawayo dated October 27, says the Boers are reported to be occupying Gaborone.

King Khama's regiments are watching the border. Llewellyn has retired to Mochudi. The despatch also says that all the mines in Matabeleland are being operated and that native labor is obtainable. The natives report that the Boers are retiring in a southerly direction.

**WANTS HER SHARE.**

United States Wants Assurance of "Open Door" Policy in China.

London, Nov. 4.—A special despatch from Washington asserts that the American state department recently asked France, Germany and Russia to give a written assurance as to the preservation of the "open door" in China, being dissatisfied with moral assurances and rejecting a proposal that the United States should seize a port and establish a sphere of influence in China.

"If the assurances are declined," says the despatch, "the United States will insist upon China observing the strict letter of the treaty giving the United States equal rights with other powers in China."

The Daily Chronicle, commenting editorially on this new departure in American policy, which will be fully approved in England, dilates on its "immense importance" and suggests that it "may affect the international politics of Europe to a remarkable degree."

**GOLD IN WALES.**

London, Nov. 4.—The gold fever has again broken out in Wales. It is now confidently affirmed that Montgomeryshire is channelled with precious ore. The latest reports are of discoveries made while sinking a well on the estate of Lord Powis.

**STORM'S AREA.**

Kingston, Jamaica, Nov. 4.—Incoming steamers report that the area of last week's storm swept simultaneously from Haiti to the Central American coast and to Fortune island northwards. The Haytian advisers report considerable damage at Port Au Prince, Kacemel and other towns and plantations.

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## Leaving Colenso.

**Retirement of the British Gives the Enemy a Considerable Advantage.**

**Joubert Can Now Delay a Relief Expedition Going to General White.**

**Probability that Boers Will Withdraw When Buller Reaches Scene.**

By Associated Press.

London, Nov. 4.—The following has been issued by the war office: The colonial office has received information to the effect that the British troops have withdrawn and have concentrated further south, but have no news of any engagement in that neighborhood.

The evacuation of Colenso is undoubtedly a most serious matter for the British, as it now only testifies to the complete investment of Ladysmith by the Boers, which makes the relief of Gen. White an extremely difficult operation.

Colenso is the point where the railway from Ladysmith crosses the Tugela river which is now in flood. The town itself is of small importance. It is dominated by the hills on the side from the river and is untenable if the Boers have advanced, as they seem to have done. Moreover, only a small naval and colonial force was stationed at Colenso.

The seriousness of the evacuation, however, lies in the fact that Commandant-General Joubert, while completely investing Sir George White at Ladysmith can seize this Tugela bridge and if he has sufficient troops can detach and send them south on Pietermaritzburg, and in any case by destroying the bridge and railway, can prevent any relief expedition going to Sir George White for some time. Military men optimistically predict that Gen. Joubert will withdraw from Natal immediately Sir Redvers Buller's force enters the Orange Free State, but the latter cannot be far on his way for at least three or four weeks, and even then Gen. Joubert may not desire to intercept the British on the Free State open fields, which would suit the British admirably, but he may wait until the last moment, and then proceed by trains to Pretoria. Thus Gen. Joubert might remain in Natal several weeks longer, endeavoring to force Sir Geo. White into capitulation, the destruction of Tugela river bridge helping him by cutting off British relief. Moreover, another Boer force is expected to have marched through Zululand in the direction of Durban and already to have reached the Natal frontier. Thus it will be seen, the position in Natal taking into consideration a possible uprising of the disaffected Dutch is most disquieting, and in fact may be described as critical. British reinforcements in any number cannot reach Durban before the end of next week.

### BRITISH PRISONERS.

Col. Moeller Declines to Give Particulars of Capture of Hussars.

Capetown, Nov. 2.—(Delayed)—A despatch from Pretoria under date of Tuesday says Col. Moeller, who commanded the Hussars captured by the Boers, declined, on being interviewed, to give the details of the misfortune, but praised the treatment he had received at the hands of the Boers.

The British prisoners were playing football at the time their commander was interviewed. The officers are anxious to be exchanged. Among the papers found at Dundee, according to this Pretoria despatch, was a congratulatory telegram from Lady Symons to her husband, Commandant-General Joubert sent the message to Ladysmith. Gen. Symons was buried with the fullest honors.

### SOME SKIRMISHING.

Boers Suffered Heavily in the Fight at Rietfontein.

Capetown, Nov. 2.—(Delayed)—In transmission—The Cape Times says the Boers lost at Rietfontein was 70 killed and 200 wounded. Three hundred horses were captured.

Burgheersdorp, Cape Colony, Nov. 2.—(Delayed)—In transmission—The Boers crossed Rietfontein bridge this morning. About 300 more of them are expected to cross this afternoon.

Port Tuli, Rhodesia, Oct. 29.—(Delayed)

in transmission)—There have been a few skirmishes with the Boers, whose main body has retired southward.

### HOLDING KIMBERLEY.

Boers Still in Force There and Wasting Their Ammunition.

London, Nov. 4.—The Kimberley correspondent of the Daily Mail, in a despatch filed November 1 and forwarded by way of Orange River, says:

"The Boers are still in force in this vicinity. On Saturday evening our patrol was fired on in the neighborhood of the Wessels mine, the enemy expending a quantity of ammunition, ineffectually, however, owing to the long range."

"A Free State burgher with a pass from the enemy has brought 300 oxen into the town."

"The enemy is reported to have three siege guns in position at Oliphantfontein, four miles from Wessels."

### TRANSPORTING TROOPS.

Steamer Kildonan Castle Sails With More Than Three Thousand Men.

London, Nov. 5.—The sailing of transports for South Africa loaded with troops is now an event of daily occurrence, but the departure of the Kildonan Castle from Southampton last evening merits notice. She is the largest troopship in the world and has more than 3,000 souls on board, with their kites and weapons, balloons, bridge pontoons, machine guns, ammunition wagons and hundreds of tons of other military necessities. The transport also takes a mascot goat presented to the First Welsh Regiment by Her Majesty the Queen.

### TROOPSHIP RETURNING.

London, Nov. 4.—The British troopship Papanua, which sailed for South Africa on November 1 from Liverpool, is returning in a damaged condition, having encountered yesterday's storm. She signalled that her fittings were out of order, that several horses had been drowned and three boats stove in. She is going to Liverpool to refit.

### EGERTON'S REWARD.

London, Nov. 4.—Gunnery Lieutenant Egerton, of the British cruiser Powerful, who was wounded by the explosion of a shell at the bombardment of Ladysmith, has been promoted to the rank of commander for services in the field. His legs have been amputated as a result of his wounds. The officer is a nephew of the Duke of Devonshire.

### PRIVATEERS ACCEPTED.

Paris, Nov. 5.—L'Echo says that the Transvaal government has issued letters of marque and has already received many offers of privateers, including a number from ship-owners in the United States.

### OPPOSITION WITHDRAWN.

Lord Stratheona Will Have a Clear Run For Lord Rectorship.

London, Nov. 4.—Just previous to the close of the nominations for the lord rectorship of the University of Aberdeen, the students persuaded Sir Edward Grey, Liberal M. P. for Benwick-on-Tweed and former under secretary of state for foreign affairs, to oppose the candidacy of Lord Stratheona, and Mount Royal, the Canadian high commissioner. Sir Edward now announces his withdrawal, on the ground that the contest should not be conducted on political lines.

### THE GOLD OUTPUT.

Best Fields Now Coming Under the Control of Great Britain.

London, Nov. 4.—Lord Hillingdon, of the banking house of Glyn, Mills & Co., in a recent address before the Institute of Bankers, said that the increase in the Transvaal gold output for the year ending August 31 aggregated more than £3,000,000. He said he believed the world's production during the present year would be nearly twice as great as it was ten years ago. Referring to the enormous proportion of the gold fields of the world now under British control, he congratulated the bankers on the fact that the Venezuelan boundary award had added to Great Britain's share almost the whole of the extensive gold fields in that section.

### TROUBLE AHEAD.

Arrangement With France Over Newfoundland Fisheries Will Not Be Renewed.

London, Nov. 4.—The Newfoundland difficulties are likely to crop up again. The modus vivendi published with France expires in January, and a member of the Newfoundland government is quoted as saying it will not be renewed, adding that definite imperial action must be taken in the near future. If the notoriously anti-British tone of the French press can be taken as an indication of the national attitude, serious diplomatic or worse complications may be expected.

## Gen. White's Position.

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selected for the entertainment, and the Prince of Wales, the Princess Christian and other royalties will attend. The performance will begin at 8 p.m. The 21st Captain Company with their orchestra and a number of other American entertainers will take part. Tickets will be a guinea each and refreshments will be served in the interim.

### ROSEBURY'S POSITION.

His Support of the Government Has Widened the Breach in the Liberal Party.

London, Nov. 4.—British politics continue to consist of lengthy arguments concerning the right and wrong of the war, and the controversy has not been assuaged by the list of killed and wounded and reports of victories and defeats. Lord Rosebery's out-and-out support of the government and his criticism of Mr. Gladstone's Boer policy have widened the breach between himself and the recognized Liberal leaders to such an extent that it seems impossible that it can be bridged. The Speaker berates him soundly, saying he had no right to give advice to the Liberal party. The other Liberal papers have not followed Lord Rosebery's lead, the Marquis of Northampton and Earl Spencer especially repudiating the negotiations which led up to the war.

### HAY FOR AFRICA.

Courteous Action on the Part of the United States Helps Great Britain.

Washington, Nov. 4.—The British government recently contracted in Canada for large quantities of baled hay for use in the South African campaign. The shipments were to be made from an American port, it being transported through the United States in bond. The treasury regulations under which this was done prescribed that the goods should be exported in the original packages, and when it was found necessary for convenience and safety in stowing the hay on the steamer to change the size and form of the bales, it was found such a course was blocked by the regulations. Application was made to the treasury department for a temporary modification of the conditions of bond. The assistant secretary, Spaulding today, as an international courtesy and under the exigencies of the occasion, granted the necessary permission to repress the hay at the port of exportation.

### ALASKAN BOUNDARY.

Saturday Review Comments on the Position of Negotiations.

London, Nov. 4.—The Saturday Review in an article on the Alaskan dispute reiterates the statement that Canada has always been willing to submit to impartial arbitration which, it adds, was refused by the United States. The weekly then comments on Anglo-American relations, declaring that "England is permanently identified in the minds of one-half of the people of America with the Imperialism which sways the other," adding that "the designs attributed to us in consequence are so 'Machiavellian' that it is unnecessary to emphasize them."

It maintains that the United States expects Great Britain to make concessions in the Alaskan dispute which will never be made and that as a consequence the United States will not substantially back up Great Britain's foreign policy.

### NURSES FOR PHILIPPINES.

Young Women Going Out to Nurse the American Soldiers.

New York, Nov. 4.—The transport Thomas with the 47th Regiment on board for Manila weighed anchor and sailed this afternoon. Twenty-five young women belonging to the United States Hospital Service were carried aboard the Thomas this morning. Every one of the nurses is a graduate from a school for nurses and all saw active service in the hospitals last year. They will be scattered among the field division and general hospitals in the Philippines.

### LAURIER IN LUCK.

Tarte Reported to Have Resigned From the Cabinet.

Toronto, Nov. 4.—A World's Montreal special says: "A report has gained currency here that Tarte has resigned from the government as a protest against the Transvaal policy, but the report lacks confirmation."

Priestley's Dress Serges at Russell's. Ask for Martell's Three Star.

## Returns of Sealing Catch.

**Splendid Luck by the Schooners Despite the Government Restrictions.**

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This year marks an important epoch in the sealing industry. Not since 1896 has the catch been so large, nor has the average been so good. Seals seemed as plentiful this year as they ever have been. Every locality visited, either off the coast of California, the Fairweather grounds or in the Sea bore evidence of this fact. The story of the year's sealing is the story of nearly every year since restrictions have been placed on the business, excepting that hunting never commenced so early as this year, and several of the hauls visited were entirely new. Accidents, too, have perhaps been fewer this year than for some time. All the fleet escaped very fortunately, and though the Mermade and Penelope have yet to reach port, they have been reported near home with all well. Another cheerful aspect of the business is the good prices which skins will fetch. Expected, bring on the London market this winter. With fair prices this year's catch ought to bring into direct circulation in Victoria over \$300,000. This fact is apparent from a study of the appended sealing statement of the year's catch, which when compared with the other catches given, allowance should be made for the larger fleets out other years. The statement, as prepared by Messrs. R. P. Rither & Co., Ltd., is as follows:

Schooners.	Spring.	Sea.	Total.
Ainoke	440	1,123	1,572
Actelia	392	1,234	1,626
Bearskin	310	768	1,078
Borealis	200	602	802
City of San Diego	776	930	1,706
Alena	776	776	1,552
Dora Seward	419	1,234	1,653
Emma Louisa	776	913	1,689
Enterprise	601	1,208	1,809
Favorite	271	1,148	1,419
Genevieve	1,582	871	2,453
Hattie	393	927	1,320
Iida Etta	776	1,189	1,965
Libbie	776	776	1,552
Mary Taylor	162	54	216
Mermade	1,318	817	2,135
Minnie	236	976	1,212
Ocean Belle	705	776	1,481
Penelope	613	612	1,225
Teresa	776	1,021	1,797
Ubrina	441	1,782	2,223
Vivian	442	1,403	1,845
Walter L. Rich	533	513	1,046
Zillah May	537	912	1,449
Indefatigable	1,000	1,000	2,000
Total seal skins	11,472	23,999	35,471
Total Canadian catch for 1898	10,055	17,493	27,548
Total Canadian catch for 1897	6,100	15,697	21,797
Total Canadian catch for 1896	10,703	25,700	36,403

Additional Warships to Go Into Commission Immediately.

London, Nov. 4.—Although no orders have yet been received for the commissioning of the warships, there is little doubt, judging from the activity on board them, that the first-class protected cruisers Amphitrite, Argonaut, Ariadne and Blake, and the second-class protected cruiser Charybdis will soon hoist the flag. In addition to these there is now at Chatham a powerful reserve fleet of two battleships, three first-class cruisers, six second-class cruisers, two third-class cruisers, six torpedo-boat destroyers and seven torpedo boats, ready for all eventualities.

### NEWFOUNDLAND TOO.

Would Send a Contingent to Africa to Help Great Britain.

St. John's, Nfld., Nov. 4.—The Newfoundland government is considering a proposal to form half the colonial police into a company for service in the Transvaal. The Canadian government will be requested, it is understood, to incorporate this company with the Canadian regiment, Newfoundland paying a proportionate share of the expenses. The colonial police being like the Royal Irish constabulary, a semi-military body, armed, well drilled and fully equipped, could take the field at once. The scheme meets with general popular approval.

### DREYFUS ILL.

Paris, Nov. 4.—A despatch from Carpentras, department of Vaucluse, to which place former Capt. Dreyfus went after the conclusion of his trial, says that Dreyfus is confined to his bed by illness, the result of a cold.

### COUNTRESS OF ABERDEEN.

New York, Nov. 4.—The Countess of Aberdeen arrived in the city from Montreal last evening and sailed on the Campana this afternoon.

### C. P. R. RECEIPTS.

Montreal, Nov. 4.—(Special)—C. P. R. traffic receipts for the week ending October 31 were \$1,008,000, for the same week last year, \$851,000.

### BOY MURDERER SENTENCED.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—Richard Honeck, who with Herman Hundhausen last August stabbed to death their former school mate, Walter Koeller, while the latter was sick in bed, was today sentenced to the penitentiary for life. Hundhausen has already been sentenced to 20 years' imprisonment. Both are under 20 years of age.

### IF YOU DRINK BRANDY, TRY MARTELL'S THREE STAR.

### DUFFERIN ELECTED.

London, Nov. 4.—The Marquis of Dufferin and Ava has been elected lord rector of Edinburgh University over Mr. Asquith, former secretary of state for the home department.

Their gentle action and good effect on the system really make them a perfect little pill. They please those who use them. Carter's Little Liver Pills may well be termed "Perfection."

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## PERSONAL.

H. Bostock, M. P., is in town. R. S. McConnell, of Comox, is a guest at the Victoria.

J. B. Lovell returned last night from a Mainland trip.

H. G. Ross was a passenger from Vancouver last night.

Mr. Justice Irving returned last night from the Mainland, where he had been on a pleasure trip to California.

Mrs. H. T. Porter, of Wellington, is in town visiting friends.

Capt. R. Collister leaves this evening on a pleasure trip to California.

J. H. B. Rieckay returned last night from a business trip to the Mainland.

Dr. C. L. Milne was a passenger from Vancouver by the Islander last night.

Mrs. A. G. McEandless leaves this evening for San Francisco to visit relatives.

J. A. Casey and a number of the Hendricks company are guests at the Dominion.

M. A. Nisbet and H. T. Tilley, commercial travellers from Toronto, are at the Driford.

Thomas C. Brainerd, of Montreal, president of the Hamilton Powder Co., is at the Driford.

Miss Nellie Stewart will spend a few days on a visit to relatives on the Sound and in Rossland.

James L. Hird, of Lead, South Dakota, and A. Foster, Westminster, are among the arrivals at the Oriental.

Rev. J. C. Speer, J. C. Keith and H. L. Salmon were Victorians who arrived home by the Islander last night.

J. A. Humbler, of St. Paul, and E. J. Palmer, manager of the Victoria Lumber Mills, Chemainus, are at the Driford.

Ben Hendricks and Mrs. Hendricks, Will Gray and Mrs. Gray, Phil Hunt and Mrs. Hunt are members of the Hendricks company registered at the Victoria.

A. E. Hilbert and Mrs. Hilbert, of Nanaimo, and W. F. Walton and Mrs. Walton, of Seattle, are in the city on bridal trips and are registered at the Dominion.

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## DIED.

ROBINSON—At Esquimalt, B. C., on the 4th instant, William Wharton Robinson, a native of Sunderland, England, aged 72 years. The funeral will take place to-morrow (Monday), at 2:30 p.m., from Hayward's Undertaking Parlors, Government street.

Friends will please accept this intimation.

HONEYMAN—October 28th, at Eden, Beautiful Plains, Manitoba, Robert James (Robbie) Honeyman, aged 14 years and 8 months.

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**THE WAR.**

Yesterday was marked by a lot of exceedingly contradictory stories from South Africa, mixed up with a lot of surmises of the most transparent kind. It is not easy to understand what is meant by the statement that Colenso has been evacuated, and that the British forces have been concentrated further south. Who have withdrawn, and what forces have been concentrated? The last reliable news we had from Colenso was to the effect that 500 men were stationed there to protect the bridge. There would be no point in such a force as this retiring further south. If they cannot hold the bridge, and Gen. White proposed to remain at Ladysmith, one would suppose that they would have joined him. Nor does the word "concentrated" appear to be applicable to the movement of any body of men that was likely to be at Colenso. We can interpret the despatch as indicating that the Colenso force has gone further south on the railway so as to be near Pietermaritzburg in case the Boers attempt to reach that point, and that the railway is being kept open by an armed train, but we frankly confess to be unable to reconcile any possible explanation of the safety of the Colenso bridge with the absence of word from Ladysmith. There would of course be no reason why small parties of Boers could not cut the wires to Ladysmith, but it ought to be possible to get news through. The whole character of the news is unsatisfactory. There is nothing upon which to base even a reasonable guess of what is taking place around Ladysmith, except that we may feel sure that if the Boers had captured Gen. White's force word would long ago have been received at Durban and have reached Europe by way of the Cape.

The invasion of Cape Colony by way of Bethulie is a step in the direction of checking any advance that may be made from Port Elizabeth, and it may also be intended to lead Gen. Buller to send a portion of the reinforcements there, which will leave Joubert free to cope with White.

It is worth recalling that Gen. Buller gave out that he intended to exercise a very strict censorship on all news sent out, and it is significant that since he arrived on the scene very little information has been given out to the public. While this is very exasperating it is doubtless sound policy, for it enables him to veil the movements of his forces. The Boers are absolutely ignorant of where he proposes to strike, but they would not be if telegrams were allowed to come out freely. Meanwhile we must possess our souls in patience, and comfort ourselves with the assurance that if anything important had happened, the news would not have been withheld.

**LOCAL POLITICS.**

Very naturally the South African war has for the time being obscured the issues in local politics, but they will come to the front again very soon, and when they are next grappled with the fight will be to a finish. As the Nelson Miner says, the government will have to face the consequences of their ill-considered legislation as to mining. Mr. Cotton is not going to get away in a coach-and-four from the consequences of his extraordinary conduct. The blunders of last session must be rectified. There are stirring times ahead in the local arena, and if the Colonist has not kept the issues to the front, it has been because public attention has been concentrated on other matters. The necessity of restoring good government to British Columbia is as great as ever, and

when the proper time comes there will be a union of interests to bring it about.

The matter which is now most spoken of in political circles is the fact that the province has now substantially a one-man government, the man being Mr. Cotton, who has assumed control of two important departments and practically elbowed Mr. Semlin out. Whether the government will undertake to meet the house with two portfolios like those of finance and lands and works in one man's hands, we do not know. Some people think that Mr. Cotton's business on the Mainland lately has chiefly been to discover how to place one of his portfolios to the best advantage. There is also a rumor of a plan involving an Island constituency, which, however, we do not place much reliance in. Meanwhile the government remains in an undoubted minority. Rumors of Mr. Semlin's retirement are again in circulation.

**NEXT YEAR'S GOLD RUSH.**

From present indications a great rush of gold seekers to Cape Nome and other points on Behring Sea may be looked for as characteristic of next season. The gold-bearing area is limited and the place is about as dreadful a locality to live in as can be suggested; but as for a part of the year it is easy to come and go by sea, we may expect that thousands will make the trip, intending to try their fortunes and return in the fall if unsuccessful.

It is greatly to be hoped that the character of the vessels engaged in the transportation business to these goldfields will be better than in the past. This must not be understood as reflecting upon the steamships now advertised for the route, but we all know that many of the vessels which carried people to St. Michael when the Yukon rush began were wretched craft. Strict inspection should be made of all vessels plying to the North so as to avoid as far as possible disasters of various kinds.

It is timely to caution intending gold-seekers to that part of the world. Care should be taken to provide for the return trip. There is no place where a man could be worse off without money than on the frozen shore of Behring Sea during the winter. It will be the height of folly to go there, trusting to being able to take out gold enough or to earn enough by working for wages to be able to pay a passage home again. There will undoubtedly be a great rush back to civilization in the fall of 1900. We give this warning in advance, in the hope, not that it will keep any one from trying his fortunes there, for we do not know that we ought to seek to do that, but to prevent much suffering that will otherwise be inevitable if the advice is disregarded.

**A CLEAN MEMORY.**

About the only thing in connection with human existence that we can be absolutely sure is permanent is the memory. What memory is we cannot hope to learn, except that it is something which outlasts all changes physical and mental. Instances are many where the memory of past periods in a person's life has been temporarily obscured, so that not a trace of it was apparent, but suddenly the veil has been rolled aside and what was seemingly forgotten forever became perfectly clear again. Men who have been suddenly confronted with what appeared to be certain death have told how every action of their lives seemed to pass before them in instantaneous review. It is true that we often forget things, but it seems safe to say that nothing passes out of the domain of memory. Every incident of our lives appears to be put away in its proper pigeon-hole, to be brought forth often when we least expect it. When we revisit old scenes old memories are revived. People who have occasion to drive much over country roads will tell you that frequently the jolting of the carriage at some particular spot, or the turn of the horse down to a watering place, or some trifling incident of that nature will bring back thoughts that passed through the mind years before in the same spot. To seek an explanation for this is, in the present state of human knowledge, utterly useless.

Does memory end with death? Who can answer this? Does the mysterious scroll upon which we are writing hour after hour remain an eternal record? There can be no more elusive inquiry than this. We know now that it remains as perfect as ever, although the faculty of recalling it may have diminished, until the very moment of death. Old men frequently admit that their memory of events in their early life is much more distinct than of those transpiring in recent years. As the doctrine of annihilation is without warrant by anything in nature, we make a very violent supposition when we think that memory is annihilated. If we are asked how so intangible a thing can exist after death, we reply by asking how it can exist before death. There may be some good reason for the latter which does not apply to the former, but no one can suggest what it is.

The fact is that so far as we can judge we are erecting in our memory "A monument more lasting than brass," to quote Horace's words descriptive of his fame. The monument is all our own. No one ever contemplates it except ourselves, unless there is some All-Seeing eye that perceives the unseen. We may overcome poverty; we may recover from disease; we may live down a bad reputation; we may with infinite care make the world forget what we have been and done. But no inventor has yet discovered how to wipe the slate of memory clean. The writing may be for a time invisible; but when we are not looking for it, when indeed we would prefer to see almost anything else, it may appear before us in letters of fire.

This being the case, is it not the act

of wisdom to keep our memories as clean as we can? Is it worth while for the sake of momentary enjoyment to fasten upon ourselves that which for an indefinite time may be a source of sorrow? Is it worth while for the sake of some temporary advantage over our fellow-man to make ourselves ashamed of ourselves for no one can tell how long a time? There is the practical side to the case, for no one can possibly be at his best if his mind is clogged with debasing and discreditable memories. We are not now speaking of what may take place after death, but of our careers in this life. It is reasonable to think that these will be more successful, and they are certainly to be infinitely happier if we keep our memories clean and wholesome. To do so we must live clean and wholesome lives.

The churches in Eastern Canada are becoming very militant over the South African war.

What is the significance of the great Spanish immigration into Cuba? It is said that 30,000 have arrived in the island since last January.

The British fleet seems to be all ready for anything that may happen. All this costs a lot of money, but as it is spent at home the people get the benefit of it.

There is to be a Scott Act election in Westmoreland, N. B., on the 28th of the present month. Most people in this part of the world had almost forgotten the existence of this law. New Brunswick is its great stronghold.

We do not see why the Vancouver World should say that dirty linen is being washed in Victoria over the appointments to the South African contingent. On the contrary, we think that all the linen that was exposed to the public in that connection was remarkably clean.

The Seattle Times of Friday night places the British loss in South Africa at 5,000 men, and says that within a week there will probably not be a soldier in that part of the world to uphold the British flag. This is the editorial view

of ore. This immense quantity may not be produced, but the fact that enormous carrying capacity has been contracted for is greatly embarrassing shippers of grain, coal and all other commodities.

It appears that the Colonist misquoted Mr. Marchant yesterday. What he said was: "I am proud to be denounced by the halo element of Victoria."

It may be well to remind Colonist readers that the pessimistic comments on the war are wholly unauthorized by any one in authority and are based simply upon guesses at what is going on.

The Saturday Review is very sarcastic in its references to the Imperial spirit in the United States. The Review is affecting a superiority which it does not possess. Very little difference can be discovered between the expansionist policy of the United States and those rules of national conduct which have built up the British Empire.

We are getting some excellent streets and sidewalks in Victoria, but the attention of the city engineer should be directed to the difference in elevation between some of the crossings and the sidewalks. The crossing of Broad at the junction with Fort is one of these. The sidewalk is about three inches higher than the street, and the way the electric light falls upon it the difference is not noticeable, so that a pedestrian might get a very bad fall. A piece of stone having a sloping face, set in close to the sidewalk would cover the defect.

A very interesting case is now occupying the attention of the courts of the state of New York. It is to test the legality of a boycott by the labor unions of New York against the Sun newspaper of that city. Last August the Sun had a disagreement with its printers and the union men withdrew. Then the Sun began to employ non-union printers, but most of these were stopped by the Union and persuaded to go elsewhere. In the

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[By Mr. Napier Denison.]

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Sunday, Nov. 5.		Monday, Nov. 6.	
Time.	Height above zero	Time.	Height above zero
6:30 a.m.	9.4 feet.	7:20 a.m.	9.4 feet.
10:00 a.m.	7.3 feet.	10:55 a.m.	8.0 feet.
3:30 p.m.	9.0 feet.	4:00 p.m.	8.9 feet.
10:30 p.m.	0.2 feet.	10:50 p.m.	0.6 feet.

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Golf—Just arrived, a splendid stock of  
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Fountain Pens—A really good fountain  
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The jacket sale at the White House  
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Reduced Rates to the East—Over the  
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cago will be reduced to \$46; second-class  
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"All our fine teas require 25 minutes  
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D. Barber has been asked to take the  
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bers of the Association.

Heavy Navy Sergeants at Russell's.

Remanded.—Dick, the Indian accused  
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later there were three more in the cells  
sobering up for Monday morning's sit-  
ting.

More Paying.—Ald. MacGregor will  
move at Monday evening's meeting of the  
city council that Broad street between  
Yates and Fort be paved with wood  
blocks under the Local Improvement by-  
law.

Board of Trade.—A meeting of the  
council of the British Columbia board of  
trade will be held at the board's rooms  
at 4 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, when  
affairs of the board generally will be dis-  
cussed.

Already Arranged.—The teachers and  
officials of the Spring Ridge Methodist  
school have already made ar-  
rangements for their Christmas en-  
tertainment and tree, which will be on De-  
cember 27.

Auction Sale.—An important auction  
sale of valuable furniture will be held  
by Mr. Herbert Outbiter in his sales-  
rooms on Tuesday next at 2 p.m. The  
sale will include a Parisian pianoforte  
and some fine engravings.

Do Not Forget.—Householders who de-  
sire to vote at the next civic elections  
should not forget that they must register  
at the city assessor's office during the  
present month. Already quite a num-  
ber of these names have been received  
and placed on the list.

Paid up Well.—The total amount re-  
ceived up to October 1 by the city treas-  
urer for land and improvement taxes  
was \$234,764.92. Of this \$41,172.36 was  
paid between January 1 and September  
30, and the balance, \$193,592.56, during  
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Vancouver Encampment.—At Tuesday  
evening's meeting of Vancouver Encamp-  
ment, I.O.O.F., one brother will be ad-  
mitted to the first degree and one Patri-  
arch will be advanced to the Golden Rule  
degree. Candidates will also be nomi-  
nated for next term.

Natural History Society.—The regular  
fortnightly meeting of the Natural His-  
tory Society will be held at their rooms  
to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. Mr.  
Hastings will read a paper upon "Marine  
and Fresh Water Flora and Fauna" il-  
lustrated with microscopic slides.

Arion Club.—The Arion Club will give  
its first concert of the eighth season on  
Wednesday, November 22, and the com-  
mittee announce that they have engaged  
for this concert the services of Miss  
Grace Helen Bradley, of Tacoma, a lady  
well known on the Sound as a leading  
soprano singer.

Shop Lifters.—Mrs. Hewartson, 70  
Douglas street, had stolen from her store  
yesterday afternoon a handsome black  
and gold striped lady's undershirt. The  
thief must not notice anything suspicious  
about anyone who was in the store.  
Other storekeepers would do well to  
keep a good lookout for women who  
wear capacious cloaks.

Passed Away.—A telegram from Tor-  
onto yesterday morning announced the  
death in that city of Richard H. Doe,  
father of Messrs. W. Doe, local manager  
of the Great Northwestern Telegraph  
Co., and Ross Doe, of this city. Mr.  
Doe had reached the venerable age of  
80 years and had been failing for some  
time; so death was not unlooked for.

The Pioneers.—At their monthly meet-  
ing last Wednesday the B. C. Pioneers  
turned out in full force, with President  
J. Robertson presiding, assisted by Vice-  
President H. D. Helmeke, Q.C., M.P.P.  
The applications of two pioneers for  
membership were received. One landed  
in Victoria on January 2, 1854, and the  
other in May, 1862. Both being eligible  
the ballot was cast, and the President  
duly elected and invited them to sign the  
constitution. The annual banquet was  
then considered. It was decided to hold  
it on December 8, and the committee was  
appointed to make the necessary arrange-  
ments.

Too Tempting.—Thomas William  
Nichol, when charged before Magistrate  
Hall yesterday in the provincial police  
court admitted that he stole a silver-  
headed umbrella from Miss Frances  
Arrowsmith's residence on the Esquimalt  
road. He had gone there to beg, but he  
frankly owned that the umbrella  
looked so nice that he could not resist  
stealing it. He hoped, however, as he  
was paralyzed partially in one hand and  
foot, that the magistrate would allow  
him to go on suspended sentence. The  
magistrate thought the Nichol showed  
too much acquaintance with legal terms  
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Donations Acknowledged.—The follow-  
ing donations were received at the Home  
for Aged and Infirm Women during Oc-  
tober: Percy & Co., shawls; Lenz &  
Leiser, shawls; A Friend, clothing;  
Mr. J. Bowers, cups; Mrs. Tovey, vege-  
tables; Mrs. Whitely, fruit; Mrs. A.  
Weir, Metchoshin, magazines and pearls;  
Mrs. McTavish, coat; Messrs. Dun-  
smuir & Sons, coal; St. Andrew's Presby-  
terian C. B. Society, candy and apples;  
First Presbyterian Junior Endeavorers,  
flowers; Mr. W. Walker, wood; Sir  
Joseph Trutch, cash amounting to \$76.50  
balance of a donation of \$100 given to  
Mrs. Justice Walkem for a home.

If cleanliness is next to godliness, a  
thorough bath is practical goodness. See  
our window for bath requisites, just ar-  
rived—Sponges, Loofahs, Bath Mitts,  
Bath Brushes and Turkish Towels. F.  
W. Pawcett & Co., 49 Government St.

Their Second Concert.—In Semple's  
hall, Victoria West, on Tuesday evening  
the second concert in aid of the new  
gymnasium building for the Victoria  
West Athletic Association will be given.  
In addition to the concert a supper is to  
be provided, there being two tables set  
out at 6:30 and the other at 7:30 p.m.  
The concert will commence at 8 o'clock,  
a choice programme of music, etc., hav-  
ing been prepared. Among those who  
have kindly consented to assist may be  
mentioned the Misses Crocker, McKen-  
zie, Underhill and Isbister, and Messrs.  
H. Pith, A. Cave, J. Isbister, J. Mc-  
Kenzie and A. W. Semple. A feature  
of the programme will be a short sketch,  
in which selections from the Klondike  
Male Quartette will be heard. Rev. W.

House Builders and Contractors.—We  
invite you to visit our grate, mantle and  
tile department. We carry the largest  
variety of these goods in the province; no  
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## A Lively

## Football Day.

## Victoria Rugby Men Defeat the Navy After a Gallant Fight.

## Several Association Matches Played Yesterday—Hunt Club Meets.

The football match at Caledonia park yesterday between the Victoria Rugby club and the Navy was the hardest struggle that has been put up since the time that the Warspite was here before seven years ago. The great strength of the Navy team was due to the training they have had from their captain, Mr. Matters, who last year played for All England, and though Victoria won, it was by the very narrow margin of 6 to 5. It will certainly take the Victoria men all they can do in the way of practice to prevent a defeat next time the Navy tackles them. In the first half neither side scored, although the Navy forced Victoria to touch down twice behind their goal and during the half the game was decidedly in favor of the Navy. On changing ends, however, the Victoria team had the sun behind them and managed to win after a gallant struggle.

In the second half Victoria got in some fine combination among the three-quarters, the Navy, however, meeting them half way. The ground was in excellent condition, and the play at times was very open, a genuine spectators' game, which was thoroughly enjoyed by a crowded grand stand, which shrieked its applause and encouragement to the players. There was a good deal of centre play throughout. Finally Scholefield, after the first quarter of an hour's play in this half secured the ball from Miller and after a fine run just managed to get over the line and score a try, with four lively Navy men on his back. The try, however, was not converted, the angle being so great that the kick was a very difficult one. After the kick-off from the Navy twenty-five the sailors made a great effort to turn the tables, but the Victoria back division was too strong for them. Martin was fortunate enough to secure the ball from a throw in and by a brilliant run secured another try for Victoria. The angle was as difficult as the first one, but H. A. Goward by a very clever kick almost converted, the ball striking the goal post and bouncing back.

Then it became the Navy's turn, for after determined rushes and fine combination the ball was secured by Arthur, who very cleverly dodged through the opposing back division and secured a try right behind the posts. Lafam converted and the score stood, Victoria, 6; Navy, 5.

This was close to the end of play and time was called without any more scoring. The match while very fast and fought well from start to finish was thoroughly free from roughness and was

as sportsmanlike a game as one could wish to see. Mr. Billingshurst made a very efficient referee.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.  
Club Meeting.

The members of the Victoria Association Football Club are requested to remember the special meeting to be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock at 32 Langley street.

## South Park Lost.

A mixed team of the Maple Leaf and Columbia clubs met and defeated the South Park school on Beacon Hill yesterday afternoon by a score of 1 to 0. The game was a very even contest, as may be inferred from the score.

## Victorias Defeated.

A good game of football was witnessed yesterday on the Canteen grounds where the Victoria team met in a return match the Viragos, a team composed of players from nearly all Her Majesty's ships in port. In so far as the result of the match went, the tables were changed, for the Victorians on this occasion, instead of winning, were vanquished by a score of 2 to 0. The Navy's defence was impregnable. Those who scored for the team were D. Spence and Con. Smith, both strong players. Good work, however, was done on both sides.

THE TURF.  
Club Run.

A field of twenty-two left the Barracks a little before 3 o'clock and enjoyed a capital run of over an hour's duration. Starting down Lamson street the trail turned left into the Transfer Company's fields, thence into Mr. Knox's land, whose fences accounted for one or two empty saddles. From there it skirted the head of the Arm till finally beyond the Burnside hotel the hounds viewed their quarry in the shape of a well filled table and were soon busily employed breaking it up. The thanks of the club are due to the Victoria Transfer Company, Messrs. Knox, Simons, Jackman, Sea and Rowland for permitting the club to cross their land.

THE RING.  
After the Fight.

New York, Nov. 4.—After the Sharkey-Jeffries bout last night the two pugilists were taken to separate Turkish baths establishments up town. With a broken rib and a lame shoulder, Sharkey was willing to be assisted in his movements. He was carried into the bath house and rubbed down. During that operation he talked a little, saying he would have put Jeffries out if he had not wrenched his shoulder in the eighteenth round. "It was like fighting with one arm after that," he said, and he did not know how he wrenched his shoulder.

Jeffries' manager, William A. Brady, made a statement this afternoon in which he says: "Jeffries will not fight again this year and his next fight will probably be at the Paris exposition. He has defeated Sharkey twice now and I do not think the Sailor has any right to demand another meeting with Jeffries before the champion meets anyone else. He will probably meet Corbett or Fitzsimmons. Corbett undoubtedly will prove the greater drawing card in Paris."

In an interview referee Geo. Siler said: "Jeffries receives the decision over Sharkey because I thought he had the better of the contest. Sharkey put up a great fight, but was out-generalled by Jeffries. The champion fought a clean-cut battle. Sharkey was at times aggressive, and led often, but many of his blows went wild. Aggressiveness is not

the only thing with fighters in a contest. Sharkey's blows, which may have appeared to land on Jeffries, went wide of the mark. The champion blocked Sharkey's leads repeatedly. Jeffries altogether fought a clever fight, and every blow landed by him was clean and effective. Sharkey, in his desire to win, resorted to questionable tactics. It was the greatest heavyweight fight I have ever seen, and I think it will be a long time before such another battle takes place. Both men showed gameness, and their endurance was almost marvellous."

## FELL TO HIS DEATH.

William Robinson Killed by Falling from a Stable Loft.

An old man named William Robinson was found dead yesterday morning in the stable behind the Esquimalt hotel. He had for some time past been employed about the hotel and it is supposed that in throwing down some hay from the loft to feed the cattle in the stable he had fallen. His head was twisted under the body and apparently the shock had caused unconsciousness and Robinson had smothered.

Provincial Constable Campbell notified the coroner, Dr. Hart, who held an inquest in the afternoon, the result being a verdict of accidental death. The remains were conveyed to Hayward's undertaking parlors whence the funeral takes place.

Robinson was a very old man, his age being about 80 years. He was a native of England and he had for a long time past been a resident of Esquimalt. Deceased was a shipwright by trade and leaves children in England and a brother, Mr. J. J. Robinson, the well known ship builder lives in this city. The funeral takes place to-morrow from Hayward's undertaking rooms at 2:30 p.m.

WHERE ARE THE OUTLANDERS?  
To the Editor of the Colonist.

Sir: Where are the Outlanders all gone? We heard there were about 200,000 of them before the war began and 60,000 Boers. The Boers have raised an army of 20,000 to 30,000 men. And now that the British could do with a little assistance at present, out of the 200,000 Outlanders, surely they ought to get reinforcements at least equalling the Boers, or even 1,000 would be something. But since the war began, never a word has been heard of the Outlanders.

Where on earth did Jameson expect to get his army from when he made his raid? Would some one who knows give me some information as to the remarkable disappearance and complete self-effacement of the long-suffering Outlanders? Where have they gone to?

A. [We do not know where they are, and can assure our correspondent that they are not concealed around the Colonist office. Ed. Colonist.]

## IN HIGH FAVOR.

Because of its efficacy and worth Wilson's Invalid Port is in high favor. Physicians rely on it. Patients get well by it.

The jacket sale at the White House is moving along nicely. There never was a better chance to get a good jacket for little money, no reasonable offer being refused.

We have secured some very pretty effects in Sateens, Cretons, Velvets, etc. Weiler Bros.

## Big Windows

## In Demand.

## Kootenay Towns Want Biggest Glass that Can Be Obtained.

## Purser of "Miowera" Makes Interesting Statement of Australian Trade.

Speaking of the Canadian Southern Pacific trade, Purser Young of the steamer Miowera said when last in Sydney, N. S. W.:

"We find the trade between the two hands across the sea' countries is taxing the capacity of the steamers to the utmost. Between British Columbia and Honolulu alone an important trade has developed since this line was initiated, and we are compelled to shut out cargo for the Hawaiian port." Regarding the Australian trade in particular Mr. Young said: "Our space was fully taken up to Brisbane, and as you will see we have a fair quantity of cargo for other Australian ports. The trade is also steadily growing. This trip a number of prominent wool buyers, some from Europe and others from Canada and the United States, came across with us." Referring to the new change of omitting Suva from the ports of call, Mr. Young observed: "From a mail-service point of view the change is one which in the near future will be appreciated, for it is certain that the English mails by this route will be delivered in Brisbane in less time than by the Suez route."

## LARGE WINDOWS POPULAR.

Great Demand in Kootenay Towns for Largest Plate Glass Made.

A large amount of big plate glass is being shipped almost daily to the Kootenay country. Up country towns have a craze for large glass and the bigger it is the better it seems to satisfy. One enterprising business man of Nelson ordered from Mr. W. J. Mellor of Port street a short time ago a glass that was to be larger than any in British Columbia. Mr. Mellor at once wrote to the factory at St. Helens to know if they could fill the order and received an affirmative answer, but was told that such a glass could not be handled on a railway train. It would have to be shipped to Liverpool by special trucks and from there to Victoria by sailing vessel. Here, it would be transferred to a Vancouver bound steamer but at the Terminal City the trouble would probably begin. To get it on the train might not be so difficult, but to get it through tunnels on the C. P. R. would be impossible. Under these conditions the merchant referred to had to be satisfied with a smaller glass, although he would have willingly paid for the extra cost for the larger one.

## MARINE NOTES.

Steamer Unatilla sails for San Francisco this evening with the following saloon passengers: James Greig, Capt. R. Collier, Frank Chaffey, Mrs. C.

Hutchison, Miss G. Feltse, Mrs. A. G. McCandless, Mrs. McKay, Mrs. Mount, A. Guldberg, Esther Floyd, Mrs. Floyd, S. Mulvey and C. D. Cooper.

Steamer Kinshtu Maru left Yokohama for this port on November 1.

German ship Coriolanus will leave quarantine on Monday, coming to the outer wharf for salmon cargo. Eight vessels are said to be now en route to the Island collieries to load coal for the Hawaiian Islands, namely, the Agate now at Port Townsend; the ship Santa Clara and the bark Highland Light from San Francisco; the bark Colusa from Honolulu; the ship Pactolus from San Diego, and the schooner Robert H. Hind and ships Sistrum and St. Nicholas from San Francisco.

Work on the Victoria Marine Railway is being rapidly pushed. For rates apply at yard or Telephone No. 257.

Band Concert.—Last night's concert at the Drill hall proved a great attraction, for the attendance was large and the audience thoroughly enjoyed the evening. There is a livelier interest than ever taken in military matters in Victoria now, for the war spirit is up and the public appreciates Tommy Atkins at his true worth now-a-days.

Welcome Them Back.—The members of the Fifth regiment are anxious to do the honors for the Washington volunteers, who touch here to-day on the steamer Queen on their way home from the Philippines, and had the hour of the steamer's arrival been certain, there would have been a turnout of the regiment to greet their cousins in arms. However under the circumstances it was decided that the Fifth regiment band should be on hand in uniform to greet the American boys, and the members of the Fifth will act individually, as many as possible being on hand at the outer wharf when the steamer calls. It is probable that the Queen will arrive between 2 and 4 p.m.

Next to Dr. Oronhyatekha, no member of the Independent Order of Foresters is better or more favorably known than Col. A. B. Caldwell, of Syracuse, N. Y., who founded the order in the United States and organized the National Guards under Governor Seymour in 1892.

Colonel Caldwell relates his remarkable experience in the following letter: "For the good of the community I volunteer this testimonial to the value of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. I have used them for nearly one year for Kidney ailments, torpid liver, and constipation. I never before met with such a mild and efficient laxative. I take one pill a day before retiring, and the effect is wonderful in producing calm repose, excellent appetite and good digestion."

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Mother's favorite remedy for croup, whooping cough, bronchitis, coughs and colds, is Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine.

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## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia

In the goods of CHARLES HENRY REAY, deceased, Intestate.

All persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased are required to send the particulars thereof and all persons indebted to the said deceased are required to pay such indebtedness to McPhillips, Wootton & Barnard, Bank of Montreal Chambers, Bastion Street, Victoria, B. C., solicitors for Joseph Welch Reay, the administrator.

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## A PROPHETIC EPITAPH.

On Tombstone Erected Over a British  
Flag by Englishmen in Pretoria  
in 1881.

On August 3, 1881, at 3 p. m., six hundred  
men marched through the streets of Pre-  
toria in sad and solemn procession, as do  
those who are about to perform the last  
office of some dear friend, snatched away  
from their midst by death. There were all  
the trappings of woe; there the sable  
hearse draped in its funeral canopy; there  
the coffin, there the open grave, and at its  
head stood ready prepared the slab with  
epitaph inscribed, so that all might know  
for whom the final ceremony was being  
performed. The procession halted, the  
carse was tenderly and reverently relieved  
of its burden, and the coffin stood on the  
trestles of the yawning ditch. The eager  
multitude leant forward to scan the epi-  
taph, and with strained and tear-dimmed  
eyes they read:

In Loving Memory  
of the  
British Flag in the Transvaal,  
Who Departed This Life  
On the 2nd August, 1881,  
In Her Fifth Year.

"In Other Climes None Knew Thee  
But to Love Thee."

## RESURGAM.

## INVOCATION.

Come from the winds of heaven—O!  
BREATH!  
And touch this clay,  
Laid in the winding robes of death  
From sight away.

Soft on the ashes fell the dust:  
The words were said:  
Deep through despair we held our trust—  
Breathe on our dead!

Come from the four great winds and give  
Our mighty slain  
Life by thy breath—that it may live  
To rise again.

Low, in the hour of freedom's birth  
Piercing the debt of blood in earth  
And bid it rise!

Hark! from the distant veldt at last  
The signal comes;  
Stooping the British line moves past  
With rolling drums;

Crashing—the cannon voices call  
Across the sea,  
Piercing the debt of blood—for all  
The years to be;

Clearly against the southern skies,  
In grin or loam,  
Over the cloud of battle flies  
The blood-red Cross.

Sign of the courage: firm to guide  
The strenuous years,  
Soul of the Nation!—purified  
By blood and tears;

Blossom—with heart of crimson flame,  
Made strong by loss,  
Riveted with Honor, Truth and Fame—  
GREAT BRITAIN'S CROSS.

Heavy the price our souls must pay  
For past mistakes  
Do not let blood entangled to-day  
For England's sake!

There—where the wild, mad charges sweep  
To strike the height,  
Soldiers! the trust our soldiers keep  
With death to-night.

March! in the ranks whose mighty Dead  
Great deeds inspire—  
Dumbless the hearts thus hero-led  
Through deadly fire;

Fiercely in the charge—as oft of yore,  
Where strife is hard,  
Fighting the floor they loved—once more  
Their souls keep guard.

Steady as they struck, who fell of old,  
And cheerless knew  
That the great banner's stainless fold  
Unconquered flew.

Placed as they fought—nor fear to die!  
The solemn host,  
If the whole hosts will on high  
GREAT BRITAIN'S CROSS.

—M. H. B.  
(Local Canadian.)

## AT LAST

A Remedy Has Been Discovered That  
Will Permanently Cure Catarrh—  
Japanese Catarrh Cure Cures.

This is not merely the words of the  
makers of this remedy, but the assertion  
is backed by leading physicians and the  
honorable testimony of hundreds of  
cured ones, and more. There is an absolute  
guarantee to cure in every package,  
or money will be refunded. We will also  
send two weeks' trial quantity free to  
any person suffering from this dangerous  
disease. Japanese Catarrh Cure is a  
new discovery, being a prescription per-  
fected by one of America's most success-  
ful specialists in treating this disease. It  
is a soothing, penetrating and healing  
pommade prepared from stainless com-  
pounds of iodine and essential oils, to be  
inserted in the nostrils. The heat of the  
body melts it, and the very act of  
breathing carries it to the diseased parts.  
It reaches, soothes and heals every part  
of the mucous membrane, curing in-  
variably all forms of catarrh of the nose  
and throat, and all forms of catarrhal  
deafness. Mr. Joseph Little, the well-  
known mill-owner of Port Essington, B.  
C., writes: "Japanese Catarrh Cure  
completely cured me of catarrh, which  
had troubled me for 25 years, in which  
time I had spent over \$1,000 on reme-  
dies and specialists in Toronto and San  
Francisco. About two years ago I pro-  
cured six boxes of Japanese Catarrh  
Cure, and since completing this treat-  
ment have not felt the slightest symp-  
toms of my former trouble. I can  
highly recommend it. Relief came from  
the first application. We always keep  
a supply in the mill for cuts and burns,  
and consider it superior to any other  
remedy for healing." Sold by all drug-  
gists, 50 cents. Sample free; enclose  
5-cent stamp. Address the Griffiths &  
Macperson Co., Church street, Toronto.

## YUKON EXPLORATION.

A Member of Parliament Tells an Easy  
Way of Outwitting the Govern-  
ment.

The St. John, N. B., Globe, says: The  
case of Donville vs. Klondike, Yukon and  
Stewart Pioneers, Limited, was resumed be-  
fore Judge Landry this morning. The cross-  
examination of Col. Donville was continued.  
He stated that the timber limit belonged  
to the Government. The company got five  
berths of five miles each. Seven tenders  
were put in, because the Government would  
only sell only one berth to each person.  
These tenders were the highest put in.  
Six names were borrowed for these tenders.  
One was that of Harry Donville, son of the  
plaintiff. In reply to a question touching  
amounts paid, the plaintiff refused to reply  
without having accounts before him. Some  
accounts were then showed him, but he  
would not accept them because they were  
not complete. He had received his instruc-  
tions about the timber limits from Eng-  
land, first by cable and then by letter.  
Mr. Pugsley here objected to the method of  
cross-examination as he claimed the defence  
was endeavoring to establish a plea of off-  
set. The judge, however did not sustain the  
objection.

Plaintiff was authorized to spend between  
seven and eight thousand dollars on these  
limits. There was only one mill erected  
on these limits after the company got them.  
One should have been erected on each berth  
if the Government had insisted. The mill  
erected cost between two and three thou-  
sand dollars. Perry was the company's  
employee. Plaintiff had no interests in lim-  
its. Company tendered for a whole block's  
interest. Advertisement called for tenders  
for whole blocks. Information was secured  
by plaintiff, for which he paid a one-half  
interest. Had set the matter before the  
company, and they had agreed to let one-  
third go. Did not remember all the names  
borrowed.

Mr. Currier asked why the other ninety  
or more tenders did not pay one-third to  
some one. The witness replied that he did  
not know what private arrangement other  
tenders had made. All he knew was that  
parties had made an offer of information

## "GLENCOE."

(Wm. Henry Drummond, in Montreal Star.)

Here's to you, Uncle Kruger! salute! an' salute go leor!  
You're a dacent ould man, begorra; never mind if you are a Boer!  
So with heart an' half me bouchal, we'll drink to your health to-night;  
For yourself an' your farmer sojers gave us a real good fight.

I was dramin' of Kitty Farrell away in the Gap o' Dunloe,  
When the song of the bugle woke, rugin' across Glencoe;  
An' once in a while a bullet came putherin' from above,  
That tould us the big brown fellows were sendin' us down their love.

'Twas a kind invitation an' written in such a han'  
That a Chinaman couldn't refuse it—not to speak of an Irishman;  
"We're comin' with right good will,"  
Along what they call the kopje, tho' to me it looked more like a hill.

"Fall in on my left," sez the captain, "my men of the Fusiliers;  
You'll see a great fight this mornin'—like you haven't beheld for years!"  
"Faith, Captain, dear," sez the sergeant, "you can bet your Majuba sword  
If the Dutch is as willin' as we are, you never spoke truer word!"

So we scrambled among the bushes, the boulders an' rocks an' all,  
Like the gauger's men still—huntin' on the mountains of Donegal;  
We doubled an' turned an' twisted the same as a hunted hare,  
While the big guns peppered each other over us in the air.

Like steam from the Devil's kettle the kopje was billin' hot;  
For the breeze of the Dutchman's bullets was the only breeze we got,  
An' many a fine boy stumbled, many a brave lad died,  
When the Dutchman's message caught him there on the mountain side.

Little Nelly O'Brien, God help her! over there at ould Ballybay,  
Will wait for a Transvaal letter till her face an' her hair is grey.  
For I seen young Crohoore on a stretcher, an' I knew the poor boy was gone,  
When I spoke to the ambulance doctor, an' he nodded an' then passed on.

"Steady there!" cried the captain, "we must halt for a moment here."  
An' he spoke like a man in tralain', full winded an' strong an' clear.  
So we threw ourselves down on the kopje, weary an' tired as death,  
Waitin' the captain's orders, waitin' to get a breath.

It's strange all the humours an' fancies that come to a man like me;  
But the smoke of the battle risin' took me across the sea—  
It's the mist of Benbow I'm seeing; an' the rock that we'll capture soon  
Is the rock where I shot the eagle, when I was a small gossoon.

I close my eyes for a minute, an' hear my poor mother say:  
"Patrick, avick, my darlin', you're surely not goin' away  
To join the red-coated sojers?" but the blood in me was too strong—  
If your sire was a Connaught Ranger, sure where would his son belong?

Hark! whisht! do you hear the music comin' up from the camp below?  
An' an old note of when Maxims take breath for a second or so,  
Liftin' itself on somehow, stealin' its way up here,  
Knowin' there's waitin' to hear it many an Irish ear.

Augh! Garryowen! you're the jewel! an' we charged on the Dutchman's  
guns.  
An' covered the bloody kopje, like a Galway greyhound runs,  
At the top of the hill they met us, with faces all set and grim;  
But they couldn't take the bayonet—that's the trouble with most of them!

So, of course, they'll be prasin' the Royals, an' the men of the Fusiliers,  
An' the newspapers help to dry up the widows' and orphans' tears,  
An' they'll write a new name on the colors—that is, if there's room for more;  
An' we'll follow wherever they lead us, the same as we've done before!

But here's to you, Uncle Kruger! salute! an' salute go leor!  
After all you're a dacent Christian, never mind if you are a Boer!  
So with heart an' half me bouchal, we'll drink to your health to-night,  
For yourself an' your brown-faced Dutchmen gave us a real good fight!

to the amount of eight hours of his work  
in one day.

This is the crux of the present strained  
relationship between the mine-owners  
and the miners. It is a question of  
money, not time. Most men care little  
how many hours they work, so long as  
they earn more money. Some men may  
be content to work only sufficient to live,  
but such men are not numerous in a  
civilized community; on the contrary,  
every day experience teaches us that  
most men are ready and eager to work  
overtime, therefore so long as over-  
time is fairly paid for and the workers  
are free to cease work when they choose,  
overtime may be looked upon as a for-  
tunate opportunity for those who have  
the strength, industry and wish to bene-  
fit themselves by it. When the act be-  
came law, trouble arose because the  
owners wanted ten hours' work for ten  
hours' pay; and the men would not ac-  
cept less than the former ten hours' pay,  
although the act prevented them from  
working more than eight hours under-  
ground. It was illogical to expect that  
the mine-owners would pay the same  
wages for eight hours' work as they did  
for ten hours, or to expect that the men  
would be content to limit their earnings  
to \$3.50. A very serious deadlock at  
once occurred in the Sandon and Slocan  
districts; over 1,000 men have been  
thrown out of work, and development  
work has practically ceased, and prob-  
ably 500 men have left the district.  
The writer ventures to make the fol-  
lowing suggestions that might help mat-  
ters:

1. That the principle of eight hours'  
labor underground be accepted as the  
limit of a statutory day's labor and the  
standard of a day's pay.

2. That the present law be relaxed so  
as to allow of mine-owners and miners  
making such temporary agreements re-  
garding overtime as will meet the vari-  
able conditions of circumstances and  
localities. Yours etc.

JOHN C. FERGUSON.

M. Inst. C. E.  
Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 21, 1899.

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LEE WING HEE.  
Dated Victoria, B. C., October 31st, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that it is my in-  
tention to apply to the Board of Licensing  
Commissioners for the City of Victoria at  
its next sitting, to be held on Wednesday,  
the 13th day of December next, for a trans-  
fer to William Charles Fernyhough of the  
License now held by me to sell spirituous  
and fermented liquors by retail upon the  
premises known as the Three Star Sal-  
oon, situate at No. 4 Port Street, in the  
City of Victoria.

WM. SCOTT.



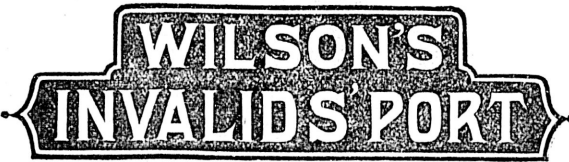
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	DAILY. A.M.	SATURDAY. P.M.	SUNDAY. P.M.
Leave Victoria	9:00	4:25	2:00
Arrive Goldstream	9:28	4:53	2:28
" Glenaville	10:30	5:34	3:00
" Shawnigan Lake	10:14	5:39	3:14
" Cobble Hill	10:23	5:48	3:22
" Duncan	10:48	6:16	3:47
" Chemainus	11:17	6:44	4:15
" Nanaimo	12:14	7:41	5:15
" Wellington	12:40	7:55	5:30

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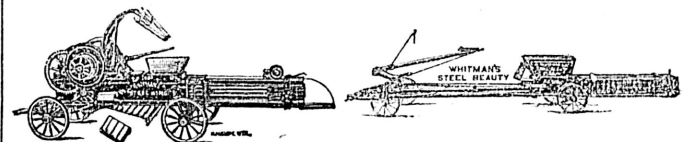
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## THE WEATHER.

Meteorological Office,  
Victoria, Nov. 4-8 p. m.  
WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

An extensive ocean high pressure is spreading over the Pacific Slope, where it will probably cause a brief interval of more settled weather. Since yesterday rain has fallen over this province and the Coast states. East of the Rockies the weather remains fair, and has become quite mild.

## TEMPERATURES.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	46	56
New Westminster	50	56
Kamloops	44	48
Markerville	36	46
Calgary	30	38
Winnipeg	18	28
Portland, Ore.	50	56
San Francisco, Cal.	54	62

## FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time) Sunday:

Victoria and Vicinity—South and south-west winds; generally fair weather. Lower Mainland—Moderate winds; partly fair, with local showers.

## VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.

Report for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Observations taken daily at 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m.

SATURDAY, Nov. 4.  
Deg. Deg.

5 a.m. .... 48 Mean ..... 51  
Noon ..... 54 Highest ..... 56  
5 p.m. .... 54 Lowest ..... 46  
The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:

5 a.m. .... Calm.  
Noon ..... 2 miles south.  
5 p.m. .... 4 miles south.

Average State of Weather—Fair, with showers.  
Rain—0.7 inch.  
Sunshine—6 hours 18 minutes.  
Barometer at Noon—Observed ..... 30.040  
Corrected ..... 30.020

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## Atlin Quartz

## Prospects.

Colonel Doyle Expresses Himself as Much Impressed With Their Value.

He Gives Considerable Information of a Little Known District.

Col. John Doyle, whose mining experience extends from the interior of Mexico on the south to Dawson on the far north, and who is one of the best known mining men in Butte or Anaconda, not forgetting the Kootenay country, brings back with him from Atlin a very high opinion of the prospects of quartz mining there. Col. Doyle went into Dawson last year and in February made a trip into the Atlin country whence he arrived in Victoria a couple of days past. He has devoted his attention to quartz mining north and as a result is now interested in quite a number of properties, with assay certificates to show that make one's eyes bulge at the values.

Col. Doyle is very much impressed with the quartz showing at Glenaville on the east side of Taku Arm. The place really got its name from the fact that the first prospectors were landed there by Capt. Irving's steamer Gleaner last spring. Three Swedes then located property now owned by Mr. Lewis and several other White Pass railway officials and some of the ore taken to the Treadwell mill for testing gave the high return of \$322. Col. Doyle's claim, the Alpha, adjoins this claim. Further along there are three claims, the Black Bear, owned by Col. Doyle; the Cumberland, owned by Wm. Clark; Col. Doyle's partner; and the John Irving, owned by Col. Doyle and Wm. Clark.

Col. Doyle produced an assay certificate showing that the Black Bear ore test went 27.6 oz. in gold or \$752, besides 17.2 oz. in silver, and naturally he is not displeased with the result. Other promising claims are the Bluebell, owned by Clark; the Shamrock, owned by Col. Doyle; and the Thistle, owned by Capt. John Irving.

The vein on the Bluebell is no less than 25 feet wide between the walls, so it is decidedly well defined.

Across on the west side of the Arm is the Eureka in which Messrs. Hawkins and Haney are interested. The assays show \$16.80 in gold. The property is in course of development.

The Monitor, on the extension of the Black Bear is owned by Capt. Irving and other very likely claims are the Sunrise, owned by Mr. Clifford, M.P.P., and the Victoria, owned by Mr. M. King of this city.

The leads in the district are very strong and well defined and thought more attention has been paid to the placer ground in Atlin so far, Col. Doyle has a decidedly high opinion of the outlook for quartz mining there. Glenaville, he predicted, would be a good camp.

During his trip North Col. Doyle and his partner, Mr. Clark, made a trip to

White Horse where they had heard of a number of quartz properties being secured by the British American Corporation. The ore here is copper and three likely claims with a ledge 25 feet wide were staked by the Colonel and his partner.

Like other experienced miners Col. Doyle condemned the alien law which has had the effect of retarding to an enormous degree the growth of the Atlin district, besides inflicting many hardships on the miners.

## B. C. IN LONDON.

An Editor's Views as to What Should Be Done by the Government.

Mr. Walter Lefroy, managing editor of the British Columbia Review, a London weekly devoted entirely to the mining interests of Canada, arrived in the city last evening. Mr. Lefroy formerly resided in Victoria, leaving here in 1896 to establish the Review. In an interview he said:

"Things were somewhat dull in London when I left on August 12, but that was only to be expected seeing that it was the middle of the holidays and the Transvaal crisis was nearing a head. It seems to me that this unfortunate piece of misadventure—the eight-hour law—is likely to cost the Kootenays a lot of money. British Columbia has been steadily growing in favor with British investors, but the progress has been slow for reasons which I will explain by and by, and now that the inflow of capital into the Witwatersrand has been absolutely cut off, mining investors and speculators have Westralia or Canada to turn to, and you might have obtained a large share. I am afraid now," said Mr. Lefroy, "that since the labor trouble has frightened promoters Cripple Creek will take your place. Now it comes to the reason why the progress of British Columbia has not been more rapid. With minerals, as with boots or machinery, or any other merchandise, you have to create a demand for your produce. When the old country investor has very frequently heard very good reports of a mining district he commences to ask questions and enquire of his brokers for stock, etc., then the promoter sets out to supply the demand. Now hitherto promoters have taken up locations without sufficient interest having been previously excited among investors, and the fault is entirely due to the apathy of the government of British Columbia, Ontario, Nova Scotia and other mining provinces. The local authorities in South Africa and the Australias have been educating the public for years at enormous expense which has been many fold returned to them. The Greater Britain exhibition is a case in point. No trouble or expense was spared by the Colonies I have mentioned to create an attractive and instructive display. One of the Australian colonies has about £150,000 worth of gold just as it came from the crucible, standing there earning no interest, and yet it is a very good investment and a wise advertisement. Where are Canada's minerals in this exhibition? The names of British Columbia and Ontario do not appear and this great opportunity of instructing the many millions who will pass through the gates is lost through a stereotyped policy of suicidal economy. In this connection I might mention that the journal which I have the honor to represent has been published weekly for nearly three years in the world's market, and although it is the only organ entirely devoted to Canadian mining matters it has received no longer support. What British Columbia requires to-day is notoriety

of the best kind in the European mining markets, so that she may obtain a hearing while her greatest rival is temporarily disabled.

"Our idea is to enlarge the scope of the paper which has hitherto been dealing only, or almost only, with investments in British Columbia, originated by London companies, and to make it thoroughly representative of the commercial progress and opportunities of British Columbia and in fact of all the territory where Canadian enterprise is so heavily interested, to form as it were a lens which will from week to week focus our progress and imprint it upon the investing public in Great Britain. This involves the systematizing and organization of the news of the development of industry in the province, not exactly an easy nor an inexpensive task, but one that will be very profitable and beneficial to the province. Judicious advertising and accurate reports are the secret of successful business for a province, a company or an individual."

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